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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of June 27, 2008, entry of the present amendment effecting claim amendments to place the application in condition for allowance or remove issues from appeal, if required, is respectfully requested.

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The Examiner is also reminded that a request for a three month suspension of action is filed along with a Request for Continued Examination in this application. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: